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No. SPA 177-7/55.—The Government of India deeply regret to record the premature death, by heart failure, of Shri Lalchand J. Sajnani, Postmaster-General, Punjab Circle, while on tour at Srinagar on Tuesday the 8th November 1955 at 4 P.M. He was due to retire by the end of December next.

2. Shri Sajnani joined the Government of India service as a Probationary Superintendent of Post Offices in the year 1927. After filling various executive and administrative posts under the Government of India, he was promoted to the grade of Postmaster-General in the year 1951 in which capacity he served in Bihar, Madhya Pradesh and Punjab Circles with distinction. He rendered valuable service while serving with the Central Pay Commission in 1947.

3. Shri Sajnani was an able, keen and conscientious officer. He was popular with all with whom he had occasion to work. The Government of India has sustained a great loss by his premature and sudden death.

M. M. PHILIP, Secy.

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